GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Backward Classes Welfare Department - Case registered under the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 against Sri B. Narender, Hostel Welfare Officer, Government, Backward Classes Welfare Hostel for Boys, Ghatkesar, Ranga Reddy District - Sanction for Prosecution Orders – Issued.

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BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE (A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 16 Dated: 28-08-2017

ORDER:-

Whereas, Sri B. Narender worked as Hostel Welfare Officer in Government Backward Classes Welfare Hostel for Boys, Ghatkesar, Ranga Reddy District from 20-04-2008 to 30-01-2015 and by virtue of the post held by him, he falls under the category of Public Servants as defined under section 2 (c) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 (Central Act 49 of 1988).

- 2. And whereas, on credible information that Sri B. Narender, Hostel Welfare Officer of the Government Backward Classes Welfare Hostel for Boys, Ghatkesar, Ranga Reddy District was committing irregularities in the maintenance of hostel, the Bureau conducted a surprise check on the hostel on 30-01-2015 from 0630 hrs to 2330 hours in the presence of the mediators.
- 3. And whereas, during the surprise check, on perusal of the records, revealed that the Hostel Welfare Officer had shown false attendance of the boarders in the Boarders Attendance Register maintained in the hostel and thereby had drawn excess amount towards diet charges and cosmetic charges during the period 12-06-2014 to 30-01-2015. The Hostel Welfare Officer Sri B. Narender had not maintained the Registers of the hostel properly.
- 4. And whereas, on the submission of report, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Telangana State, Hyderabad issued orders to register a case and take up investigation against Sri B.Narender, Hostel Welfare Officer of BC Hostel for Boys, Ghatkesar, Ranga Reddy District vide memorandum in C.No.6/DES-HRG/2015, dated.02-05-2015, of DG, ACB, TS., Hyderabad. Accordingly the Bureau registered a case in Cr.No. 07/RCO-HR/2015 Under section 13(1) (c) (d) read with 13(2) of Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 on 05-05-2015 and took up investigation.
- And whereas, during the course of investigation, as per the letter dated:23.01.2016 of Inquiry Officer, the Mandal Educational Officer, Ghatkesar, Ranga Reddy district got the attendance of the boarders marked by Sri B.Narender, Hostel Welfare Officer in the Boarders Attendance Register maintained in the hostel compared with the Attendance of boarders furnished by Head Masters of the respective schools (where the boarders of the said hostel studied) in order to arrive at the exact figure of variation i.e. false attendance shown by Sri B.Narender, Hostel Welfare Officer in the attendance of each boarder from 12.06.2014 (date of Academic year starting) to 30.1.2015 (day of Surprise check on the hostel)
- 6. And whereas, the Mandal Educational Officer, Ghatkesar vide his letter dated.26.01.2016 has stated that a team consisting of 3 teachers of different Government Schools of Ghatkesar Mandal compared the attendance of the boarders marked by Sri B. Narender, Hostel Welfare Officer in the boarders Attendance Register of Backward Classes Welfare Hostel for Boys, Ghatkesar with the attendance of the boarders furnished by the Head Masters/Principals of 6 Schools (in which the boarders of said hostel studied). The Mandal Educational Officer in his letter mentioned above projected the calculation of the false attendance of each boarder worked out by the team of teachers and calculated the total amount misappropriated by Sri B. Narender, Hostel Welfare Officer by marking false attendance of boarders for the period from 12-06-2014 (day of Academic year starting) to 30-01-2015 (day of Surprise Check on the hostel) based on the false attendance shown by

Sri B. Narender, Hostel Welfare Officer for each boarder. The total misappropriation in the Diet chargers made by Sri B. Narender, Hostel Welfare Officer by showing excess and false attendance to the boarders of hostel from 01-08-2014 to 31-10-2014 was a tune of Rs.56,938/- based on the diet chargers for each boarder per day under his supervision with the assistance of the Assistant Social Welfare Officer.

- 7. And whereas, the records show that Sri B. Narender, Hostel Welfare Officer also claimed excess amount Rs.2,604/- towards cosmetic chargers from August, 2014 to October, 2014 and also he claimed Rs.18,678/- by showing 14 boarders extra in the bills for the months from August, 2014 to October, 2014.
- 8. And whereas, the aforesaid acts of Sri B. Narender, Hostel Welfare Officer of Government Backward Classes Welfare Hostel for Boys, Ghatkesar, Ranga Reddy District constitute the offences punishable under sub-section (2)of section 13 read with clauses (c) and (d) of sub-section (1) of Section 13 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 and under section 403 & 409 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 (Central Act 45 of 1860).
- 9. And whereas, the Government of Telangana, being the Competent Authority to remove the said Sri B. Narender, Hostel Welfare Officer, Government Backward Classes Welfare Hostel for Boys, Ghatkesar, Ranga Reddy District from service, after fully and carefully examining the material i.e., First Information Report, Surprise Check Proceedings, statement of witnesses, copies of documents and other material placed before them with regard to the said allegation that the facts and circumstances of the case consider that the said Sri B. Narender, Hostel Welfare Officer, Government Backward Classes Welfare Hostel for Boys, Ghatkesar, Ranga Reddy District should be prosecuted in a Court of Law for the aforesaid offences.
- 10. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred under Clause (b) of subsection (1) of sec.19 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 (Central Act 49 of 1988), read with section 197 of Criminal Procedure Code1973 (Central Act 2 of 1974) the Government of Telangana hereby accord sanction for the prosecution of the said Sri B.Narender, Hostel Welfare Officer, Government Backward Classes Hostel for Boys, Ghatkesar, Ranga Reddy district for the above said offences punishable under sub-section (2) of section 13 read with clauses (c) and (d) of sub-section (1) of section 13 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 (Central Act 49 of 1988) read with section 409 of Indian Penal Code 1860 for any other cognate offences punishable under any provisions of Law for the time being in force and for taking cognizance of the said acts by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

G.ASOK KUMAR PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Telangana, Hyderabad. Law (F) Department. SC/SF.

//FORWARDED: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER